

# VASCULAR ACCESS

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## Endstage Kidney Disease (ESKD) Life-Plan



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# Establish an ESKD Life-Plan if your patient has any of the following:

## CPG 1.1

- Progressive CKD
  - eGFR 15-20 ml/min/1.73m<sup>2</sup>
- or
- Already on hemodialysis
  - Already on peritoneal dialysis
  - Already has a kidney transplant

This individualized patient ESKD Life-Plan should be regularly reviewed, updated and documented in the patient's medical record

# ESKD Life-Plan Review and Update

## Who does it?

- Members of the health care team and patient

## When is it done?

- Once a year (and more frequently as clinically indicated)

CPG 1.2

# Patient's Vascular Access should be reviewed quarterly to determine:

- Function of vascular access
- Complications and risks of complications
- Future dialysis access options

CPG 1.3